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IN REGARD TO

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 2948-148	SERIAL NO.: 08/879,139	PATENT NO.:
FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR: MERRIL et al	FILING DATE: June 19, 1997	ISSUE DATE:
ATTORNEY/ASSISTANT: MCK/cb	DUE DATE: 6/18	

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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>for FY 2003</b> <b>(Large Entity)</b>		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	08/879,139
		Filing Date	June 19, 1997
		First Named Inventor	MERRIL et al
		Examiner Name	D. Wortman
		Group Art Unit	1648
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- ☒ Charge any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status

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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. FILING FEE

Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	750	Utility filing fee	[ ]
1002	330	Design Filing Fee	[ ]
1003	520	Plant Filing Fee	[ ]
1004	750	Reissue Filing Fee	[ ]
1005	160	Provisional Filing Fee	[ ]

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## 2. CLAIMS

	Extra Claims	Fee	Fee
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Total Claims	[ ] - 20** = [ ] x	\$18 = [ ]	
Independent Claims	[ ] - 3** = [ ] x	84 = [ ]	
Multiple Dependent Claims	+	280 = [ ]	

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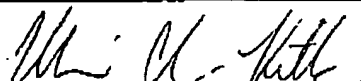
## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Code	Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	[ ]
1052	50	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	[ ]
1053	130	Non-English specification	[ ]
1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	[ ]
1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	[ ]
1804	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	[ ]
1251	110	Extension for reply within first month	[ ]
1252	410	Extension for reply within second month	[ ]
1253	930	Extension for reply within third month	[ ]
1254	1,450	Extension for reply within fourth month	[ ]
1255	1,970	Extension for reply within fifth month	[ ]
1401	320	Notice of Appeal	[ ]
1402	320	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	[ ]
1403	280	Request for Oral Hearing	[ ]
1451	1,510	Petition to Institute a public use proceeding	[ ]
1452	110	Petition to revive -unavoidable	[ ]
1453	1,300	Petition to revive - unintentional	[ ]
1501	1,300	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	[ ]
1502	470	Design issue fee	[ ]
1503	630	Plant issue fee	[ ]
1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	[ ]
1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	[ ]
1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	[ ]
8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	[ ]
1809	750	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	[ ]
1810	750	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	[ ]
1801	750	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	[ ]
1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	[ ]
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